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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Gavin Robert Ferris)
SERIAL NO.: 09/463,033) Group No. 2611
FILED: 07/16/2000) Examiner: Koenig, Andrew Y
FOR: Communication System and Method)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant transmits herewith an Extension of Time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 12, 2006 in the above-identified application.

Applicant hereby requests a three month extension of time of from: April 12, 2006 until: July 12, 2006.

A Continuation Application is being filed under separate cover under Express Mail No. EV712574632US.

The fee for the extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

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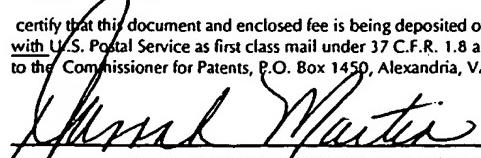
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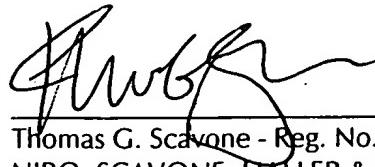
Fee for Extension of Time: \$510.00

TOTAL FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME: \$510.00

- The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for the extension of time in the amount of \$510.00 to our Deposit Account No. 14-1131.
- The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 14-1131.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 14-1131. (A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.)

This petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is respectfully submitted by the undersigned:

certify that this document and enclosed fee is being deposited on <u>July 11, 2006</u> with U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
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